

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

SB 1533 – HB 1997

March 28, 2011

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS (004944, 005264, 005401): Deletes the original bill. Redefines “developmental disability” and “intellectual disability.” Replaces the terms “metal retardation” and “mentally retarded” throughout Tennessee Code Annotated with “intellectual disability,” “intellectually disabled,” “people with intellectual disability,” or “intellectual or developmental disability.” Replaces references to the “Division of Intellectual Disabilities Services” and “DIDS” with “Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities” and “DIDD.”

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENTS:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumptions applied to amendments:

- The changes in definitions and terms will not change any of the programs or services provided by or the number of individuals receiving services through the Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities, the Department of Mental Health, or the TennCare program.
- No fiscal impact to state or local government.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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